IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO EASTERN DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, :

:

Plaintiff, : Case No. 2:08-CR-039(5)

:

vs. : JUDGE ALGENON L. MARBLEY

:

EDGAR LEONEL-LOPEZ

:

Defendant.

ORDER

On March 31, 2008, the Magistrate Judge issued a *Report and Recommendation* pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1) urging the Court to accept Defendant Edgar Leonel-Lopez's guilty plea. Defendant, represented by counsel, waived his right to appear on the matter before a District Judge. The Magistrate Judge conducted the colloquy required by Federal Rule of Criminal Procedure 11(b). Defendant's plea was knowing, voluntary, free from coercion, and had a basis in fact. Although Defendant was specifically informed of his right to contest the *Report and Recommendation* and the consequences of his failure to do so, he did not object. Accordingly, the Court **ADOPTS** the *Report and Recommendation* and **ACCEPTS** Defendant's plea of guilty to count two of the superseding indictment.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

<u>s/Algenon L. Marbley</u>
ALGENON L. MARBLEY
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

Dated: June 17, 2008